



The Dalmore 12 year old

Country:	Scotland
Region:	Northern Highlands - Alness
Producer:	Whyte and Mackay
Range:	The Principal Collection
Bottling:	Distillery Bottling
Style:	Single Malt Whisky
Water Source	River Alness which flows from Loch Morie
Owner	Whyte and Mackay
Status	Operational
Age:	aged 12 years
Cask Type:	American White Oak ex Bourbon Casks and Matusalem Oloroso Casks
Colour:	Mid Mahogany
Flavour Profile:	Citrus Fruits, Chocolate and Aromatic spices
Allergens:	Not known
Bottle size:	70cl - abv: 40%



Matured for an initial nine years in American white oak ex-bourbon casks, the spirit is then divided for its final flourish. One half remains in the bourbon barrels, while the other is transferred to exclusive 30 year old Gonzalez Byass Matusalem oloroso sherry butts before they are reunited to create this phenomenal whisky.

The Story of Dalmore

In 1263, Colin of Kintail, Chief of the Clan Mackenzie, took a bold decision to stand up and be counted, and felled a charging stag which attacked King Alexander III of Scotland. In return for saving his life, the grateful King gifted the 12-pointed Royal Stag emblem to the Mackenzie Clan as a reward.

When descendants of the Mackenzie Clan took over the ownership of The Dalmore distillery in 1867, they continued to honour this brave act and proudly put the 12-pointed Royal Stag on the bottle. To this day, the Stag still adorns each and every bottle of The Dalmore.

The Dalmore 12 year old, with its intricate aromas and flavours, is recognised as a whisky with character far beyond its age. This was Andrew Mackenzie's original masterpiece and stood apart from the norm of the day. At a time when it was standard practise to mature whisky for no more than 6 years, Andrew Mackenzie demonstrated his pioneering character by doubling the maturation period. His boldness truly paid off, The Dalmore 12 year old still stands apart as an exceptional whisky today, as it did then.

Taste with Water

NOSE: Citrus fruits, chocolate and aromatic spices.

PALLETTE: Citrus, oloroso sherry, vanilla pod

BODY: Medium

FINISH: Roasted coffee and chocolate.

STYLE: Rich, Flavoursome. After dinner dinner

